

Division of Assets

Special consideration can be given for married couples when only one enters a nursing home.

An assessment of your assets can be requested once you or your spouse enters the nursing home, in a MO HealthNet bed, for an expected stay of 30 days or more.

You may be asked to provide proof of your marriage, age, Social Security Cards for both you and your spouse and information about things that you and your spouse may own.

Right to Appeal (Hearings)

If you think that you have been denied eligibility unfairly for any reason, you can call, write or come in to any Family Support Division office and request a hearing within 90 days after the decision. You will get a letter telling you the time, date and place of the hearing at which time you can present testimony and/or evidence of circumstances, or have it presented by an attorney or a representative of your choice.

How do I apply?

1. Call 1-855-373-4636 to talk with our staff at the Family Support Division (FSD) Information Line.
2. Ask them to mail you an application or you can print an application from our website at http://dss.mo.gov/fsd/formsmanual/pdf/im1ma_0610.pdf
3. Fill out the application and send it to the Regional FSD Nursing Home Office where your case is located. A list of the four offices is on the back of this pamphlet.
4. We will then review your application. If we need more information, you will be contacted.
5. You will find out in about 45 days if your application was approved.
6. To make sure we got your application, call the FSD Information Line at 1-855-373-4636.



Important Information

MO HealthNet Payment for Nursing Home Care

Missouri's Regional Nursing Home Offices

South Office

Highway 160 West, PO Box 717
Gainesville, MO 65655

Phone: (417) 679-4616
Ozark.codfhs@dss.mo.gov

Phone: (417) 679-3103

Call here if you live in one of these counties:
Bates, Barry, Barton, Bollinger,

Bulter, Camden, Cape Girardeau, Carter,
Cedar, Christian, Crawford, Dade, Dallas,

Dent, Douglas, Dunklin, Greene, Henry,
Hickory, Howell, Iron, Jasper, Laclede,

Lawrence, Maries, McDonald, Miller,
Mississippi, Morgan, New Madrid, Newton,

Oregon, Ozark, Pemiscot, Perry, Phelps,
Polk, Pulaski, Reynolds, Ripley, St. Clair, St.

Francis, Ste. Genevieve, Scott, Stoddard,
Shannon, Stone, Taney, Texas, Vernon,

Washington, Wayne, Webster, or Wright.

Kansas City Office

736 S Business Highway 13, P O Box 370
Lexington, MO 64067

Lafayette.codfhs@dss.mo.gov
Phone: (660) 259-2294

Fax: (660) 259-3834

Call here if you live in one of these counties:
Clay, Jackson or Platte.

Local FSD Offices

For your convenience, you can also submit
your application at a local FSD office.

Contact information for your local office can

be found at: <http://dss.mo.gov/offices.htm>

Missouri's Regional Nursing Home Offices

North Office

601 Mohawk Road, Suite B
PO Box 1080

Chillicothe, MO 64601

Livingston.codfhs@dss.mo.gov

Phone: (660) 646-5770 or (855) 373-4636

Fax: (660) 646-3278

Call here if you live in one of these counties:

Adair, Andrew, Atchison, Audrain, Boone,
Buchanan, Caldwell, Callaway, Carroll, Cass,

Chariton, Clark, Clinton, Cole, Cooper,
Davies, DeKalb, Gasconade, Gentry, Grundy,

Harrison, Holt, Howard, Johnson, Knox,
Lafayette, Lewis, Lincoln, Linn, Livingston,

Macon, Marion, Mercer, Monticau, Monroe,
Montgomery, Nodaway, Osage, Pettis, Pike,

Putnam, Ralls, Randolph, Ray, Saline,
Schuyler, Scotland, Shelby, Sullivan, Warren,

or Worth.

St. Louis Office

413 Burris

Fredericktown, MO 63645

Madison.codfhs@dss.mo.gov

Phone: (573) 783-5596/7600

Fax: (573) 783-5227

Call here if you live in the following areas: St

Louis City or Franklin, Jefferson, Madison, St.

Charles or St. Louis Counties.

MO HealthNet Nursing Home Care

If you plan to enter a nursing home,
MO HealthNet could help you pay for the
cost of your nursing home care.

**To qualify for help from
MO HealthNet you must be:**

•Age 65 or over, blind or permanently
and totally disabled.

•A United States citizen or qualified
alien.

•A resident of Missouri and plan to
stay in Missouri.

•A person with available resources that
are less than \$999.99 a month. This
includes things like (but are not
limited to) bank accounts, stocks,

bonds, certificates of deposit, cash
and certain real or personal property
not in use.

•Married couples can divide their
available resources. This can
let the spouse of a nursing home
resident keep more resources

Missouri's Nursing Home Units

8/12/13

